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## **STATE SENATOR MARTHA G. SCOTT ELECTED TO LEADERSHIP ROLE WITH WOMEN IN GOVERNMENT**

**12<sup>th</sup> Annual State Directors Conference, Phoenix, AZ** – State Senator Martha G. Scott (D-Highland Park) was elected by her fellow state legislators to serve as 2006 Michigan State Director with Women In Government at the 12<sup>th</sup> Annual State Directors Conference being held January 5-8, 2006, in Phoenix, Arizona.

“I am honored and thrilled to be selected by my colleagues to serve in this capacity,” said Sen. Scott. “I have learned a great deal through my involvement with Women In Government and look forward to serving as Michigan State Director in 2006.”

Women In Government is a national 501(c)(3) nonprofit, bi-partisan organization of women state legislators providing leadership opportunities, networking, expert forums, and educational resources to address and resolve complex public policy issues. Women In Government leads the nation with a bold, courageous and passionate vision that empowers and mobilizes all women legislators to affect sound public policy.

“Having Senator Scott serve as a state director is a wonderful addition to our program,” said Senator Beverly Hammerstrom (R-Temperance), Board Chair for Women In Government. “She is a recognized leader in her state, and we are excited that she will now share her leadership skills as a liaison between Michigan and Women In Government.”

“State Directors assist in setting policy initiatives through member recruitment and policy development,” said Women In Government President Susan Crosby. “The Women In Government State Director Program is a network of women state legislators working together and exchanging best practices, to create realistic policy solutions for states.”

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